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DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

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JAPS READY TO WAR ON KAISER; UNITED STATES URGED TO GET WAR FORCES READY FOR TROUBLE

WASHINGTON HEARS THAT MIKADO'S MEN ARE LIKELY TO GRAZ IN CHINA.

WOULD INVOLVE UNITED STATES SOME STEPS ALREADY TAKEN

Situation Would Be One Which Would Require Delicate Diplomacy Here.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 15.—Cable reports received here yesterday from agents of the United States government in Tokio state that a declaration of war by Japan against Germany is expected, possibly within the next 24 hours.

Japan Has Fleet Ready.

It is reported that Japan has prepared its fleet and has concentrated an expeditionary force of 50,000 men for this service. From this information it is assumed that the Japanese contemplate an assault upon the German naval base at Tsing Tau. The concentration of troops is believed to foreseen a Japanese occupation of the German leased territory in China with its annexation by Japan as a logical result.

Since China requested the United States to exert pressure in its behalf upon the belligerent European powers for the preservation of China's integrity and neutrality, the state department has been giving close attention to the far eastern situation.

May Encroach on U. S.

Further complications may arise for the United States if Japan seizes German Samoa and the Ladron Islands near Guam, since an American naval base is situated next door.

Whether the United States would take vigorous measures to prevent a change in the ownership of these oceanic possessions cannot now be learned, but some diplomats view with alarm the possible encroachment of Japan so close to the far eastern possessions of the United States.

We Can't Stand Idle.

Unquestionably the addition of Japan to the war will complicate the situation further for the United States. American interests in China are important and the United States can hardly afford to let Japan play ducks and drakes with China without protest.

No steps such as a concentration of American naval forces in the Pacific have been taken as a result of developments in the far eastern situation.

TAKEN TO NACHUSA.

John Herbst of Nachusa, for three weeks a patient at the Dixon hospital, was Friday taken to his home, completely recovered.

COUNCIL TO DECIDE WHAT ACTION TO TAKE

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THE BASEBALL SCORE

MILLER IS NINTH OF FEDERAL HITTERS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

W. L. Pet.	W. L. Pet.
N. Y. . . . 58 42 580	Phil. . . . 48 53 475
Bos. . . . 58 46 585	Chi. . . . 47 55 467
Chi. . . . 54 49 524	Brook. . . . 54 54 455
St. L. . . . 55 52 514	Pitts. . . . 46 55 455

At New York— R. H. E.
Boston 21 0 0 0 7 11 2
New York 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 6 2
James and Gowdy; Tresreau, De-
marae, Wiltse and Meyers.

At Pittsburgh— R. H. E.
Cincinnati 1 0 0 0 1 0 4 0 7 14 3
Pittsburgh 0 0 4 0 0 0 8 7 2
Douglas, Yingling, Schneider and
Clark and Gonzales; McQuillen,
O'Toole, Harmon and Coleman.

At Brooklyn— R. H. E.
Philadelphia 0 0 2 1 3 0 0 2 8 14 4
Brooklyn 0 3 2 1 0 1 0 0 7 14 2
Bixby, Marshall, Tincup and Klu-
ffler; Steele, Schmitz, Allen and Miller.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

W. L. Pet.	W. L. Pet.
Phil. . . . 68 35 660	St. L. . . . 51 52 495
Bos. . . . 58 47 552	Chi. . . . 53 55 491
Wash. . . . 56 48 538	N. Y. . . . 48 58 453
Detroit 54 52 509	Clev. . . . 35 76 315

At St. Louis— R. H. E.
Chicago 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 3 6 8 1
St. Louis 0 1 3 0 0 0 0 4 8 1
Faber, Lathrop, Benz and Schalk;
Weinman and Agnew.

At Cleveland— R. H. E.
Detroit 0 1 0 2 1 2 2 0 8 13 3
Cleveland 1 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 4 9 5
Dauss and Stanage; Stein, Colla-
more, Coughlin and O'Neill.

At Boston— R. H. E.
New York 0 2 1 0 4 0 0 0 7 7 1
Broton 4 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 6 11 4
Brown, Keating, Cole and Sweeney;
Foster, Collins, Bedient and Thomas
and Carrigan.

At Philadelphia— R. H. E.
Washington 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 6 0
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0
Johnson and Ainsmith; Bressler
Lapp.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

W. L. Pet.	W. L. Pet.
Chi. . . . 59 47 557	Buf. . . . 51 50 505
Balt. . . . 55 46 545	Pitts. . . . 45 56 446
Brook. . . . 53 45 541	St. L. . . . 47 60 439
Ind. . . . 55 47 539	K. C. . . . 46 60 434

At Chicago— R. H. E.
Pittsburgh 1 1 9 1 0 2 0 0 0 5 10 2
Chicago 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 3 9 2
Knetzer and Berry; Prendergast,
Fiske and Wilson.

At St. Louis— R. H. E.
Brooklyn 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 5 7 2
St. Louis 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 7 6
Bluejacket, Seaton and Land; Dav-
enport and Simon.

At Kansas City— R. H. E.
Baltimore 0 2 2 0 0 0 0 5 9 2
Kansas City 0 0 0 0 2 0 4 0 X 6 9 3
Wilhelm, Conley and Jacklitsch;
Cullop, Adams and Easterly.

ARMORED AUTO

German Anti-Air Craft Is
Is Dangerous to Enemies.



DUNRAVEN TENDERS YACHT

English Lord Will Help Stranded
Americans Get Home.

London, Aug. 15.—Lord Dunraven
has offered his yacht to the American
citizens' committee to aid in bringing
stranded Americans from the conti-
nent. Sir Hercules Langrische, a
noted yachtsman, is to be in charge
and he will be accompanied by a mem-
ber of the committee.

Oscar Straus, president of the com-
mittee, had luncheon with Sir Edward
Grey at the latter's house. Mr. Straus
said he was greatly impressed not
only by the dispassionate viewpoint of
the British secretary for foreign af-
fairs, but also by his deep sense of
responsibility and his high moral pur-
pose.

Lawyers, the Telegraph is well
equipped to do your brief and ab-
stract work on short notice, having
installed a new typesetting machine.

DIXON MAN WITH ST. LOUIS IS
BATTING FOR AN AVERAGE
AGE OF 319.

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Hi Myers, who
has worn Brooklyn's uniform in 20
games, leads the batters of the Na-
tional league with an average of 371,
according to figures published here
today. Then come Erwin, Brooklyn,
348; Grant, New York, 342; Becker,
Philadelphia, 334; Dalton, Brook-
lyn, 321; Burns, New York, 311;
Wingo, St. Louis, 310; Daubert of
Brooklyn, 309; S. Magee, Philadel-
phia, 308; Phelan, Chicago, 304.

Brooklyn leads in club batting
with 269, and New York is next,
with 266. Herzog, Cincinnati, is lead-
ing in stolen bases with 26. In games
won and lost, James of Boston, with
15 and 5; Doak, St. Louis, 12 and 5;
Matthewson, New York, 19 and 7,
are leading pitchers.

Joe Jackson tops the American
leaguers. The Cleveland slugger has
an average of 358. Next come Cobb,
Detroit, 350; E. Collins, Philadelphia
345; Baker, Philadelphia, 335; Cree-
gan, New York, 331; Speaker, Boston,
324; Crawford, Detroit, 317; Four-
nier, Chicago, 315; McInnes, Philadel-
phia, 312; C. Walker, St. Louis,
303. Philadelphia with 267 and
Washington with 249 lead the clubs.

E. Collins leads in stolen bases with
39. Leading pitchers are Leonard,
Boston, with 17 and 3; Bender, Philadel-
phia, 19 and 2, and Plank, Philadel-
phia, 13 and 3.

Steve Evans, Brooklyn, tops the
Federal league with 362. Then come
Kauff, Indianapolis, 355; Shaw of
Brooklyn, 346; Lennox, Pittsburgh,
341; Crandall, St. Louis, 329; East-
ern, Kansas City, 328; Campbell, In-
dianapolis, 326; Carr, Indianapolis,
324; W. Miller, St. Louis, 319; Mur-
phy, Brooklyn, 318. Indianapolis
leads in club batting with 280 and
Baltimore is next with 274. Kauff re-
tains the base stealing honors with
46. In top notch pitchers are Ford,
Buffalo, 15 and 5; Seaton, Brooklyn,
20 and 8; Brown, St. Louis, 11 and
5; Kaiserling, Indianapolis, 11 and
5.

Come for a song book. Only a few
left, 10 in all, at 49 and 79 cents.

WEEKLY SPORTING LETTER

Associated Press Experts Tell of Interesting Events in the
World of Sport -- Live Sporting News From all over the World,

will carry out the schedule as plan-
ned by Germany without a hitch of
any kind. We have available sta-
diums in many parts of the country,
several of which are capable of seat-
ing from 40,000 to 60,000 spec-
tators. Should it prove desirable to
postpone the Panama-Pacific Exposi-
tion planned for San Francisco next
year until 1916, the Olympic games
would undoubtedly be held there in
connection with the fair. If the ex-
position is held according to sched-
ule, Chicago, Pittsburgh, New York
and Boston are all available for the
following year. New Haven and
Syracuse with their big college sta-
diums might also be considered."

Boxing at Standstill.

Boxing throughout Europe is at a
standstill owing to the war and the
knights of the glove have exchanged
their padded weapons for those of a
far more dangerous character. In
France alone several score of the
professional boxers are serving with
the army, the most illustrious ex-
ample being Georges Carpenter. The
recent ring victories of the French
middleweight over both Bombardier
Wells and Gunboat Smith caused Eu-
ropean critics to predict world's
championship honors for Carpenter.
Should he be killed or injured in
action his loss would be keenly felt in
pugilistic circles, for even the Eng-
lish ring authorities predict a promis-
ing career for him as can be seen
from the following extract from a
review of his bout with Smith:

"Though the result of the boxing
contest between Carpenter and Gun-
boat Smith was very unsatisfactory
from one point of view, there is very
little doubt that if the contest had
continued Carpenter would either
have won easily on points or would
have finished his man before the
tenth round. The Frenchman had
science, pace and precision, and all
of them had been improved since he
last appeared. With qualities such
as these, he was easily able to deal
with a man whose chief assets were
strength and endurance. The rapier
will nearly always win against the
broadsword. We shall always look
forward to seeing Carpenter in the
ring again. His fierce vitality, his
swift intelligence, his flaming cour-
age present a combination of some
of the finest qualities which boxing
has ever evolved in its best exponent-

BUILD LIGHTHOUSES.

Panama—Work will be begun
soon on the construction of 14
small lighthouses for the Panama
government. The work will be done
by private contractors. All of the
lighthouses will be on the Pacific
coast and will be a distinct aid to
the navigation of these waters, es-
pecially to the small coast traders
that make the Port of Panama their
home port. The lighthouses will be
located as follows: One at the en-
trance to Panama Bay, one on Melon
Island, one at San Carlos, one at
Port Obaldia, one at Port Posada,
two at Aquadulce, one at Chitre at
the entrance to the La Villa river,
two at Mensabe, one at Santa Lucia
river and two on Linartes Rock.

HAVE MANY STUDENTS.

Berlin—Almost 61,000 students
were enrolled at Germany's 21 uni-
versities in the last semester, and
4,000 more attended certain lectures
without being regularly inscribed.
The smallest university, that of Ros-
tock, has a trifle more than a thou-
sand students, and the University of
United States.

Of course it's looking a long ways
ahead to attempt to predict the af-
fect of the war abroad on the Olympic
games of 1916. Personally, I
hope that Europe will be at peace
again before that time and that there
will be no need of a change in the
program. If, however, a shift is
necessary the United States is the
logical country in which to hold the
games and the American committee
said:

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OBITUARY

Albert Z. Bodine, who died at his
home in Lee Center August 10, was
born on Staten Island, N. Y. Feb. 8,
1830, and was the son of Nathaniel
and Maria (Garrett) Bodine, both
natives of Staten Island. John Bodine,
paternal grandfather, and John
Garrett, maternal grandfather of
Mr. Bodine, were both colonels in the
war of 1812. Nathaniel Bodine, his
father, died young, leaving a widow
and four children who came west in
1841 and settled 18 miles north of
Chicago.

In 1847 A. Z. Bodine came to Lee
Center and lived there until death,
with the exception of two years spent
in Chicago, where he learned the car-
penter's trade. Several old houses in
town were erected with his assist-
ance. His especial trade, however,
was making carriages, buggies and
wagons, which were noted for their
strength and durability, outlasting by
nearly a generation the factory made
product of today.

In 1856 he married Matilda Bixby,
by whom he had two children, Rosalie
deceased (deceased) who was the wife of
James McGee of Cherokee, Ia., and
Anna Estella, wife of David May of
Dayton, Ore. Mrs. Bodine died in
1862 and he subsequently married
Katherine A. Calvin of Sublette and
three children were born to them:
Mary A., wife of Fred R. Starks of
Los Angeles, Cal.; Leslie A. of Hutt-
ig, Ark., and Genevieve B., wife of
W. S. Frost Jr. of Bradford township.
He leaves thirteen grandchildren, six
in Iowa, four in Oregon and three
here, the children of Mr. and Mrs. W.
S. Frost Jr.

Mr. Bodine had studied for the law
at one time, was always a student of
the best literature and greatly inter-
ested in all affairs of national and
public interest as well as those affecting
education in all its branches.

He was justice in Lee Center for
many years, also notary public and
his advice on legal matters was eager-
ly sought by many. We must not omit
to mention his unfailing courtesy
alike to friend and stranger and he
was rightly termed "a gentleman of
the old school." Another one is gone
out of the rapidly thinning ranks of
the pioneers of Lee county.

Funeral services were conducted
at the residence Wednesday after-
noon by Rev. H. E. Heyse of Lee Cen-
ter and interment was in Woodside
cemetery.

AROUND THE WORLD

Little Items of Interest Picked Up Here and There by Associated
Press Correspondents.

Copenhagen.—A band of Icelandic
patriots have designed a national
flag which they proposed to fly not
only over Iceland, but on all vessels
registered in that country. If they
had been content to make their flag
a strictly local affair, for which per-
mission had already been granted by
the Danish king, all would have been
well. But the Danish parliament has
now taken up the question of the marine
flag on account of the activities
of the Icelandic "independence" party.

The people of Denmark are of a
divided opinion as to Iceland. Some
feel that the Icelanders are acting in
a very ungrateful way in view of
past favors, and others that to give
Iceland its freedom would rid the
country of a source of useless expense.

Iceland's new flag is of a navy
blue field, marked with a white
cross whose arms extend to the four
sides and a cardinal red cross of half
the size set within the white.

It was not until after the state
council approved the Icelandic home
flag, following negotiations between
the Icelandic minister and the Dan-
ish prime minister, that the agitation
was taken up by the patriots for its
use as a commercial and marine
emblem. The Icelanders cannot have
their new colors recognized by
foreign powers as a national flag
without the consent of the Danish
parliament.

TO IMPROVE CATTLE.

London.—For the purpose of im-
proving the breed of cattle in the
Pacific northwest, some important
purchases of English cattle have
been made here for James J. Hill.

One shipment is of 50 dairy short-
horn bulls, which will be given
away to as many counties in that
section of the country. Each one of
these bulls is brown of a cow with a
milky record of 10,000 pounds or
more per year.

Besides the gift of these blooded
animals to the farmers of the north-
west, a herd of ten cows and a bull
of South Devens, the first to be im-
ported to America, will be sent to
Hill's Minnesota farm as well as two
prize winning dairy shorthorns to
his North Dakota farm.

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SEA LEVEL CANAL.

Panama.—After having spent the
better part of a week in an extended
examination of the Panama canal,
Philip Bunau-Varilla, ex-chief en-
gineer for the defunct New French
Panama Canal Company, is still of
the opinion that ultimately the Isth-
mus of Panama will witness the con-
struction of a sea-level canal. He de-
clares that at the end of the first
20 years of operation of the present
lock canal it will be found necessary
to reconstruct that waterway in
order to take care of the increased
traffic that will use it.

Bunau-Varilla is emphatic in his
statement that within 20 years the
present Panama Canal will have
reached the limit of its carrying ca-
pacity, 50,000,000 tons annually, and
that then it will be found that only a
sea-level canal will adequately care
for the traffic. The former canal en-
gineer makes it plain, however, that
he does not mean to criticize the
construction of the present lock
canal, but maintains that this is
merely the secondary period in the
construction of a waterway across the
isthmus.

Bunau-Varilla has spent most of
his time since his arrival on the isthmus
in making voyages of inspection
along the canal. In many of his
trips he was the guest of Col. George
W. Goethals, governor of the Panama
Canal, who explained the work to his
distinguished visitor. He has made
a number of motorboat trips through
the Culebra Cut and Gatun Lake.
Besides this he spent many hours in
a careful examination of the Gatun
Dam and the Spillway, and watching
the work at Cucaracha Slide. He

Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

I KNOW NOT JUST HOW TRUE THIS MAY BE.
BUT I TELL IT TO YOU AS IT WAS TOLD TO ME.

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

To Visit in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Winslow and son Frank will be guests at the home of Mrs. Winslow's brother, Fred Cropsey, and family of Sterling Sunday. They will be accompanied by Miss Erma Whitehouse who has been a guest at the Cropsey home the past week.

Visiting Here.

Mrs. John Flanagan and son John of Freeport are visiting with friends in this city.

To Visit in Dwight.

George Gantner of Nelson left today for Dwight, this state, to visit with relatives and be in attendance at the Home Coming which will be held there.

Entertained.

Miss Brinton entertained on Friday afternoon at her home in North Dixon in honor of the Misses Smith of Springfield, who are guests at the E. W. Smith home.

Returned From Chicago.

Miss Atha Kratz of Sterling, who has spent the past few days with relatives in Chicago, returned to her home Thursday evening. She was accompanied as far as this city by the Misses Vera and Dorothy Miller of Craig, Neb., who are visiting at the William home over Sunday. Monday they will go to Sterling to visit for several days and then will leave for Nebraska.

Returned From Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Coakley and two children have returned from Chicago after visiting for the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Alvni Miller and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Denny.

Here From California.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pratt and daughter Ruth of San Diego, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Pratt and son of Compton are the guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. William Stark.

At Lowell.

Misses Lina and Cora Miller and their friends who are enjoying camp life at the Graybill cottage at Lowell park entertained the following young ladies last evening: Misses Ada Brink, Bess Blackburn, Ollie Hains and Marcia McWatty.

Motored Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brucker and son, Delphian, Mrs. Hulda Mynard of Sterling, and guest, Miss Emma Lingle of Chicago motored to this city on Thursday evening in the Brucker car.

S. F. O. Club Entertained.

Miss Belle Read delightfully entertained the S. F. O. club at her home on East Boyd street Thursday afternoon. This was the first meeting of the club since before the Assembly session. No special discussion was taken up, but it was decided that candy would be the topic for the next meeting, which will be held with Miss Ruth Remington.

A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess.

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Wedding Anniversary.
Friday was the first anniversary of the weddings of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Neighbour of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meppin of Palmyra, and in commemoration of the event the young people and their families were entertained at a bountiful supper at the Meppin home in Palmyra.

With Miss Marshall.

Miss Emily Weigle of Louisville, Ky., will arrive tomorrow to be the guest for a week of Miss Georgia Marshall, at her home on Peoria avenue.

Stitzel-Ferris.

The last days of summer will record many pretty weddings, and the month of water lilies and astors will take her departure amid the perfume of blossoms and to the triumphal strains of the wedding march.

One of the weddings of today that will be of much interest locally is that of Miss Velma Stitzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stitzel of Nelson, and Edward J. Ferris, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ferris of Sterling. The scene of the ceremony was St. Mary's Catholic church of Sterling. At nine o'clock mass Rev. Father Burns conducted the ceremony and the young people exchanged the vows which made them man and wife. They were attended by Miss Margie Ferris as bridesmaid and John Ferris as best man.

The bewitching loveliness of the bride was shown to adorable advantage in her gown of white charmeuse, in traine, with Duchess lace waist over chiffon. Her bridal veil of tulle fell from a Duchess lace cap to the hem of her gown and wa caught with lilies of the valley. She carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley.

The bridesmaid, Margie Ferris, wore a white shadow lace dress with a sash of pink and wore a short veil. She also carried a bouquet of roses.

Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served for the bridal party and guests, who included only the relatives and intimate friends of the bride and groom, at the home of the bride's parents in Nelson. The table decorations were beautiful in pink and white asters and smilax. The bridal table was effectively decorated in a profusion of the flowers and ferns.

The ceremony joined the lives of two very popular members of the younger society set, the bride being the attractive and accomplished daughter of an old family, her sterling qualities and loving disposition making for her the many friends who are now extending best wishes. The groom, whose home is in Sterling, has been reading law with his brother, George Ferris Jr., in Spokane, for the past several years and promises to be one of the incomparable young attorneys of his time. He will take his bride to Spirit Lake, Idaho, where they will enjoy their honeymoon and after September 1st will be at home in Spokane, Wash.

The out of town guests other than Nelson and Sterling were: Mrs. L. R. M. Reese, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre and son Marin, Spokane, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. William Ferris and son William of Sharon, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bourne and son from Sutton, Neb. (sister of the bride), Mrs. Mary Johnston, San Diego, Cal.; Mrs. Harriet McKinstry and Mrs. Fred Snyder of Dixon; Mrs. Ed. Cain, West Chicago; Mrs. Harry Greenway, Elmhurst, Ill.; Miss Hazel Donagh, Rochelle; Hazel and Mabel Benson, DeKalb and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harms of Gap Grove.

To Preach Here.

Rev. Peter Shields of Decatur will preach to the colored people of this city Sunday morning and evening at 601 Madison avenue.

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SUNDAY DINNER, AUGUST 16th

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Tea

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MISS MARGARET BLACKBURN AND MISS BERNICE DULEY TO START IN BUSINESS.

For LaSalle Guests.
The Misses Fogarty entertained with a picnic at Lowell Park Thursday for the Foley family of LaSalle who are visiting them.

Met Last Evening.
The W. C. O. F. held a regular session Thursday evening and twelve members from the new Sterling court were present, as well as one Freeport member. After the business meeting refreshments were served and later in the evening the members were the guests of Mrs. Rose Plein at the Family theatre.

Expected from New York.
Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook is expecting a visit from her nephew, Chester Higgins, of New York, in the near future.

Will Spend Week End Here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hawley of Elgin will be week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dysart of Bluff Park.

Will Return to Chicago.

Mrs. Berry and daughter will return to Chicago Sunday after a visit here with her brother, W. W. Gilbert.

Here from Chicago.

Mrs. John Clark of Chicago is visiting for a few weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. T. Northam of North Dixon.

To Have Meeting.

The North American Union will hold their regular meeting in Union hall Monday evening.

To Motor to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stephens and Mrs. Stephens will motor to Chicago on Sunday, returning to this city on Monday.

At Oddey Home.

Mrs. Copenhafer, son Robert and daughter Mary spent Wednesday at the Oddey home on the Chicago road.

Guests of Mrs. Bovey.

Mrs. Edmonds and son Charles of Los Angeles are guests of Mrs. Addie Bovey.

Entertain With Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Slothower will be host and hostess to a very elaborate dinner Sunday when they will entertain 21 guests. The out of town people are Mrs. Carrie Kent and son Edgbert of Denver, Dave Alpaugh and daughter, Louise, of Andrews, Ind.

To Chicago.

Miss Helen Bogue went to Chicago this morning to spend Sunday with friends.

In Franklin Grove.

Miss Alice and Samuel Lehman will spend Sunday in Franklin Grove at the Ira Trostle home. They will attend the Chautauqua which is being held there.

To Chicago.

Miss Hazel Elliott will go to Chicago Monday to spend a week at the home of Dorothy Flick, 6352 Ellis avenue. Miss Flick formerly lived in Dixon.

Entertained.

Misses Lulu and Esther Baumhamer were entertained at luncheon last evening at the Sterling girls' camp on the Assembly grounds.

Pre-Nuptial Party.

The Ladies' Aid society of Amboy M. E. church were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Reuben Virgil Wednesday evening. The affair was in honor of Miss Fannie Biggart, a member of the society, whose marriage to John Graff of that city takes place soon. The evening was pleasantly spent in music and conversation and later the hostess served dainty refreshments, after which Mrs. J. E. Lewis in a few appropriate words presented Miss Biggart with a handsome set of sherbert cups and a mission rocking chair, gifts from the society, of which Miss Biggart has been president the past two years. After congratulations were over the guests departed, feeling that they had spent a very enjoyable evening and prolonging Mrs. Virgil a royal entertainer.

Look at the Little yellow tag on your Telegraph. If you are in arrears please send us the amount due.

Try to Locate \$100,000 Heir.

Stonington, Ill., Aug. 15.—Taylor Mansfield, of Stonington, is trying to locate Andrew Darter of Glasgow, Ky., who has been missing for eighteen years and who is supposed to be in central Illinois. Darter is heir to an estate of \$100,000.

Rev. T. M. Griffith Dies.

Windsor, Ill., Aug. 15.—Rev. Thomas M. Griffith died here. He was 75 years old, a civil war veteran and chaplain at Chester penitentiary under Gov. Tanner.

DIxon WON TWO OF THREE FROM OREGON

FIRST INTER-CITY TENNIS TOUR.
NAMENT WAS PLAYED IN THIS CITY.

A new millinery store is promised for Dixon through the announcement of Miss Margaret Blackburn, who Miss Miss Bernice Duley of Clinton, a popular trimmer, will open an up-to-date establishment in the rooms over Vaile & O'Malley's clothing store. Both of the ladies have had great experience in the business and their many friends predict that they will meet with great success. They will go to Chicago the first of the week to purchase stock.

Miss Blackburn is a well known Dixon young woman. She has been employed by Keane & O'Malley for the past six years. Her partner, Miss Duley, comes from Clinton, Ia. For six years she was a trimmer with the D. B. Fish house of Chicago.

FEATURE PICTURE

AT FAMILY THEATER

On Monday evening the Family theater will present the celebrated historical picture of "When Rome Conquered." This is a most wonderful subject and is in six reels, and deals with the early history of Rome.

TO ATTEND ALUMNI

Dr. and Mrs. Aydelotte will go to Chicago Monday to spend the week in attendance at the meetings of the alumni of McCormick Medical College, sessions of which will be held at the Lexington hotel.

RESUMED WORK.

Wilbur Hbrshman, the Rock Falls young man who was injured here July 23, the day of the Merchants' picnic, when C. W. Hamilton's automobile tipped over on the Hazelwood road, was able to resume his work for the Northwestern this morning, going east as brakeman on the Sterling passenger.

ON SICK LIST.

Miss Marie Southwell of this city is on the sick list.

Taken From Hospital.

Mrs. N. N. Clark, who has been a patient at the Katherine Shaw Beetha hospital, has sufficiently recovered to be taken to the home of her friend, Mrs. H. A. Shaw, West Fourth street.

Celebrates Anniversary.

The fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson, residing near Ashton, was the occasion of a brilliant party at their home Thursday evening. Twenty guests were present, including relatives and friends. A delicious buffet supper was served shortly after 6 o'clock. The house was prettily decorated, the color scheme being lavender and white. Lavender sweet peas arranged in baskets tied with lavender tulle bows and roses were used in tasteful profusion. A large bowl of clematis formed the centerpiece of the table. The many tapers used to light the dining room were very effective.

After dinner the hours were spent delightfully. A number of Victrola selections were enjoyed. The guests departed at a late hour leaving Mr. and Mrs. Johnson a handsome oak rocking chair as a remembrance of the occasion and wishing them many happy returns of the day.

Saloonkeeper Files Big Suit.

Rockdale, Ill., Aug. 15.—Mrs. Katherine Didzolis and her five children of Rockdale filed suit against James Yuskas, a saloonkeeper of Rockdale, demanding \$10,000 damages. They aver that their husband and father, Anton Didzolis, while drunk in Yuskas' saloon, was burned by persons in the resort, rendering him a cripple for life.

Girl Is Carnegie Hero.

Morris, Ill., Aug. 15.—The Carnegie commission will probably award a hero medal to Miss Jennie Buffo, aged 16, of Morris. The girl descended into a deep well by means of a rope and held up a 2-year-old child until men could pull both from their perilous position.

Lincoln College Gets Teachers.

Lincoln, Ill., Aug. 15.—Prof. L. S. Honaker, late of Rosnake college, has been appointed to the chair of German and French in Lincoln college. Miss Mary Gardner has been appointed head of the domestic science department.

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THE GERMAN WAR MACHINES.

Dr. Carl Graves in Colliers' says: Out of the five million francs, the war indemnity paid by France to Germany in 1871, 200,000,000 marks in gold coin, mostly French, were put away as the nucleus of a ready war chest. In a little medieval-looking watch tower, the Julius Thurm, near Spandau, lies this ever increasing driving force of the mightiest war engine the world has ever seen. It is ever increasing, for quietly and unobtrusively 6,000,000 marks in newly minted gold coins are taken year by year and added to this store. On the first of October of each year since 1871 three ammunition wagons full of bright and glittering twenty-mark pieces clatter over the drawbridge and these pieces are stored away in the steel-plate subterranean chambers of the Julius Thurm, ready, at an instant's notice to furnish the sinews to the man wielding this force. This is a tremendous power in itself, for there are now close to 500,000,000 marks (\$120,000,000) in minted gold coinage in storage there. This provides the necessary funds for the German army for calendar months. The authorities have no necessity to ask the country, warring politicians—in this instance the reichstag—for money to start a campaign. They have got it ready to hand. Once war is declared and started they will get the rest as they need it.

This money is also under the sole control of the military authorities. It has often been declared a myth. I know it to be a fact. Notwithstanding the financial straits Germany has gone through at times, or may go through, this money will never be touched. It is there for one purpose only and that purpose is war. Needless to say, it is amply guarded. Triple posts in this garrison town, devices to flood instantly the whole under fifteen feet of water from the river Havel, are but items in the system of protection. Twice each year the emperor, or his heir apparent, personally inspects the war chest. Mechanically balanced devices are employed to check the correct weight. It is a marvelously simple mechanism by means of which in less than two hours the whole of this vast hoard can be accurately checked and the absence of a single gold piece detected.

SOMETHING TO BE THANKFUL FOR.

We of the western hemisphere may be excused if we indulge in a bit of Pharisaical thanksgiving between gasps over Europe's convulsions. Militarism pointed with age-long quarrels and imperialistic greed is not our vice we may thank our stars. Democracy, however imperfect of realization at some times and in some quarters, is yet the consciously expressed ideal of all peoples and governments from Klondike to Cape Horn.

But now is a good time, also, to remember to what we owe the almost complete divorce of the new world from the poisonous tyrannies and rivalries of the old. Of late the Monroe doctrine has come in for no small amount of ridicule on both sides of the water and its abandonment has been advocated for years by men with a reputation for thoughtful wisdom. Yet to what else do we owe the practical immunity of the western world from the necessity of military participation in this greatest of wars? Suppose Mexico were now dominated by a Hapsburg. Suppose South and Central America and the West Indies were divided among the great colonial powers. The inevitable result would be an embroilment of this hemisphere, as in the old French wars before our revolution. Today only Canada is affected directly, and she only so far as her obligation goes to supply her mother country with help on the other side. She does not have to watch her neighbors or plan offensive measures against them.

We of the Americas, with all our revolutions and minor bickerings, may give thanks we are not as the nations of Europe; we may give thanks that ninety years ago certain courageous and far-seeing idealists in Washington constituted this country the guardian at the gate of western autonomy and democracy. Before this war is over we think the Monroe doctrine will have more friends than ever before.—New York Tribune.

OLD-TIMERS.

There have been some very pathetic sights in Washington due to the expulsion from public life in some political upheavals of old men who were cast adrift without a means of livelihood because they spent their lives in a meagrely-paid public service. Quite a number of these old men are fortunate enough to obtain other appointments, but many are compelled to live a precarious existence for the reason that there are not enough positions to go round. When men like Senator Murphy Foster or Senator Cockrell, who at the age of 80 years are still toiling away in minor offices, are favored and can do the work nobody has any right to complain. The public service does not suffer and surely such recognition of long years of effort for the public good at small pay is not to be criticized. One thing is pretty certain. When men who have served in a high station have passed life's meridian and are forced by the vicissitudes of politics to resume long neglected professions they do not seek these minor offices out of lust for place, but usually because of necessity. And in that light, when fortune smiles upon them, the rest of us can afford to be glad of the lift they get.—Houston Post.

"War" is a little word. Only three letters, and they don't amount to so terribly much when you just take them as letters, but in this particular arrangement, what a lot of meaning and what a lot of "punch" that word has got. It is the kind of a word that strikes terror into a timid heart when it is seen in shrieking headlines across the front page.

A certain Mr. Sherman once said "War is Hell." The daily papers are giving painful and unnecessary proof of it every day.

When you go away on your vacation don't forget to phone No. 5 and tell the Evening Telegraph where to send your paper while you are gone. A vacation is not complete without The Telegraph. It is a daily letter from home.

Isn't it aggravating not to be able to go to Europe for your vacation?

Watchful Waiting

BY WALT MASON



The Huerta reign is done, and watchful waiting won. The crazy tyrant hung to office long, and clung, with equal strength and zeal, to gin and lemon peel. The symbol of his cause a pocket corkscrew was; a bottle in his hand, he ruled the bleeding land. What sort of men are they who tolerate the sway of such a drunken freak? Are they insane or weak? But watchful waiting won, and toward the rising sun the Jim-Jam despot sailed, and Justice must have waited. All loaded down with wealth he'd swiped by force and stealth, he sailed across the sea to riot in Paree, or booze in London slums with kindred thirsty bums. The man whose hands were red with blood of countless dead, the man of concrete heart, was suffered to depart from that poor land he jobbed, and harried, rent and robbed. Was there no dungeon deep where slimy reptiles creep? Was there no gallows tree or ax for such as he? Ah, well, the tyrant's gone, and there perhaps will dawn a brighter, better day—let's hope so, anyway. Peace has an inning now—let's hope so, anyhow. But should the dove depart, and should the fireworks start, with bloodshed, as before, we'll watch and wait some more.

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CURRENT COMMENT**City In Brief**

New York Herald: It seems to be the fashion with the thoughtless to rail against "inventive genius" for having developed military machinery to a point where, as some of them put it, modern civilization will be destroyed. In their wireless condemnation of its activity along military lines these critics lose sight of the important facts that modern civilization is largely, if not wholly, the creation of the very inventive genius sat whose door sthey would place responsibility for its expected destruction.

Chicago Examiner: It is true we have no merchant ships of our own, and that even in buying a merchant fleet we would lose valuable time. But Europe, which would starve without our foodstuffs, will furnish the ships. It is only a question of supremacy on the high seas, and the victorious nation will supply the food-carrying ships.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch: As a rule the war brings benefits to America and handicaps to Europe, but there is an exception. The foreign quarter of every city abroad includes a few Americans who originally left their country for their country's good and who are no credit to it in foreign parts.

St. Louis Republic: Maybe the rush of aliens for American naturalization papers has had something to do with the sudden lack of activity on the part of foreign consuls who have been calling on these men to join the colors.

UTLEY IN BUSINESS.

Gordon Utley, who has spent the past few months traveling in the Orient and elsewhere, has again re-entered active business as a member of the Dixon Cereal Co.

SIX TOMATOES IN CLUSTER

Henry Higley of Loveland Place exhibited to the Telegraph force this morning a freak of nature in a cluster of tomatoes. Six large tomatoes, the total weight of which was four pounds, growing in one cluster from one stalk and all ripened at the same time, proved to be very interesting. Mr. Higley says the tomatoes grew about six inches from the ground, the cluster being on the main stalk of the plant.

STOLE SHOES FROM WAYCAR

Conductor McDonald of a northbound Illinois Central freight train, reported to the Dixon police early this morning that while he had left his way car in the north end of the local yards at 3 o'clock this morning to superintend some train work, someone entered the car and stole therefrom a pair of new shoes. No evidence has been found indicating the identity of the culprit.

HAVE NEW STORE.

Amboy News: The Boynton-Richards company expect to move into the recently completed addition to their store in the Sears building the fore part of next week. They will now have about the largest store room in town with ample floor space for their goods, and will increase their stock accordingly. The addition at the north is roomy, attractive in finish and well lighted, with three windows above the shelving on the north wall and a door and large plate glass window at the east, opening on Madison street.

A Dixon man recently returned from the Red River Valley reports crop conditions there as very favorable and that indications are for a bumper crop and great harvests. He said there were corn fields that compared favorably with local fields and the corn appeared in every way equal to Illinois corn.

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After which the room recently used for our Special Remodeling Sale will be closed so that the work of reconstruction may go on. Being forced to vacate the second floor also part of the lower floor it is absolutely necessary to close out our Summer stock, especially the READY-TO-WEAR-GARMENTS. If you want a summer dress for alm nothing do not fail to attend this sale.

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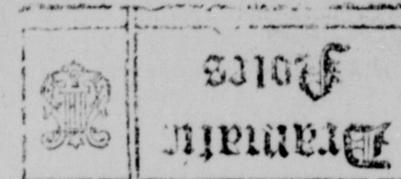
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LOT 2—RACK CONTAINS

Ladies' and Misses' Summer Dresses, white and colored, values \$5.00 to \$8.00, choice	\$3.98
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LOT 3—RACK CONTAINS

Ladies' Wool Dresses	\$1.00 \$5.00
Children's Wool Dresses	\$1.19 \$1.98
1 Lot Children's Dresses10c
50c quality summer crepes43c
1 lot Ladies' Muslin gowns, 89c values49
and 35c, choice, yd.25
One lot summer goods, values 29c, 25c, 18c, choice, yd.15
One lot summer goods, values 18c and 15c, choice, yd.10
50 silk petticoats, \$2.50 value, all colors, choice19
59c quality bleached and unbleached table linen, yd.49
72 in. bleached and unbleached table linen, \$1.25 quality....	\$1.00
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FAMILY THEATRE

The excellent bill now playing at the Family is pleasing large crowds and the attendance has been capacity each night. The Troy Comedy Four, singing comedians, render a program of well chosen songs that please all classes and Young & Gilmore have a dancing act that for dash and style is as good as anything of its kind seen on the local stage.

Pictures: The Conductor's Courtship; The Fate of a Squaw, and Vases of Hymen.

John Duffy, janitor at the postoffice, is taking a short vacation from his duties.

PRINCESS THEATRE.

On Monday night the Princess will show a two reel feature Shorty Turns Judge." A two reel broncho drama in which Shorty disguises himself as a judge after being suspected of a crime and sentences the murderer to six months on the rock pile. The boys elect Shorty to the deposed sheriff's place. Come and see your old favorite in one of his best roles. The other feature, The Substitute, is a Thanhouser drama played with an excellent cast of players in which a girl abused by her tough brother is adopted by a wealthy woman, an invalid, and the girl's brother, "Bull" Haggerty, tries to blackmail her. The girl finally triumphs over her fear of her brother and marries a young man visiting her home from the west.

VISITOR FROM SOUTH AFRICA

S. W. Buffet of Cape Town, South Africa, was a business visitor in Dixon Friday, spending the day at the Clipper Lawn Mower factory, as the guest of Mr. Ort. Mr. Buffet has used many of the mowers which are manufactured at the Dixon factory, and before leaving this city he placed a large order for immediate delivery, and also a big order for delivery in one year.

WAR WILL LAST 18 MONTHS

London, Aug. 14—When Lord Kitchener, British secretary of state for war, was asked by a fellow dinner guest last night how long he thought the war would last, he replied "Eighteen months."

T. J. MILLER & SON RECEIVE ENDORSEMENT

The following endorsement was received, unsolicited, from Arthur Frazer, the pianist of the Hungarian orchestra which recently played an engagement at the Assembly:

Theo. J. Miller & Son,

Dixon, Ill.

Gentlemen:

I wish to express my personal thanks and appreciation for the beautiful Vose & Son grand piano which was at my disposal when the Hungarian orchestra gave concerts at the Chautauqua Assembly. The piano has a splendid action and a beautiful tone and I feel that a great deal of the credit of my success in solo numbers was due to the fine instrument.

With thanks and best regards, I am,

Yours very truly,

ARTHUR FRAZER.

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BRUNSWICKS WILL TRY OUT NEW MAN

PANAMA CANAL IS NOW OFFICIALLY OPEN

DELVAN OF GRAND DETOUR TO BE PLAYED AGAINST THE BROWNS TOMORROW.

Hot innings will mark the nine to be played tomorrow at the City League park and every minute of play promises to be interesting.

Both teams are primed for the contest and will display their best, and the Browns and Brunswicks will be at each other's throats at promptly 3 o'clock sharp Sunday.

Manager Vaille of the Brunswicks will use a new recruit in Delvan, the Grand Detour wonder. This new player has startled the natives of the upriver town with his sensational ball playing and his doings are of sufficient class to gain him a trial with the league leaders. He will appear in right field. Countryman will handle center and R. Curran will tear up the turf in left field. Kuhnau will be back on first.

The following are the lineups, in which it will be noticed that the Browns have a number of new men and are fully prepared to put up one of the best games they have as yet played, and they have played some good ones.

Busters—Woodyatt, 1b; Waldeck, 2b; Burke, 3b; R. Waldecker, ss; Stephanitch, lf; McCarty, cf; Larkin, rt; Deery, p; Heft, c.

Brunswicks—Kuhanan, 1b; F. Curran, 2b; Duffy, 3b; Hogan, ss; Curran, lf; Countryman, cf; Delvan, rf; Lightner, p; Lennox, c.

ATTENDED PICNIC.

Among those from Dixon who went to Walton this morning to attend the Farmers' picnic were: Frank C. Vaughn, R. R. Phillips, John P. Drew, J. A. Prindaville, F. E. Stevens, J. E. Moyer and Fred Dimick.

Neatly printed window cards—"For Rent," "Furnished Rooms" or "For Sale." Price 10 cents at this office.

Reports received from Walton today indicate that the Farmers' picnic which is being held at the Welly Grove there is even more of a success than the promoters had anticipated. An exceptionally large crowd is in attendance and the interest in the sports and speeches was evidence of their interest. An excellent dinner was served at noon by the ladies of St. Mary's church.

FIRE CHIEF HOME.

Fire Marshall Thomas Coffey will return Monday from Dubuque, where he has been spending his week vacation.

The Telegraph is the best advertising medium in Northern Illinois.

"TRAMP STEALS FARMER'S LIFE SAVINGS HIDDEN IN WELL"

This headline from a St. Louis paper should make people think---in these days no one can afford to hide money at home. The chance of loss is too great.

Deposit your money in this bank and

Pay Your Bills By Check

UNION STATE BANK

"The Bank of The People"

ELECTRIC SHOP
H. L. DOLLAHAN, Prop.

213 FIRST ST.

Opposite Princess Theatre

For 30 days we have a price on Electric Fixtures that will beat any price you may have had by anyone.

WE ARE ABLE TO DO THIS BECAUSE OF OUR BUYING POWER.

WAR DEPARTMENT STEAMER MADE FIRST OFFICIAL TRIP THRO. HI "DITCH."

(Associated Press.)

Panama, Aug. 15.—The Canal Zone today celebrated the opening of the Panama Canal, the official celebration of which event will not take place until next spring. The War Department's steamer Ancon was chosen as the first boat to pass through the canal, and with Col. Goethals, governor of the Canal Zone, and President Porras of the Republic of Panama as noted passengers, it was scheduled to leave the Atlantic side at 9 o'clock this morning, reaching the Pacific at 6 o'clock this evening.

In Seventy Minutes.

The Ancon, heavily loaded, passed through the Gatun locks without a hitch in 70 minutes. The total time of these locks is 85 feet.

It is announced that vessels of the warring European nations may utilize the canal, but must make an uninterrupted passage.

MANY ATTENDED WALTON PICNIC

The Iron Duke, the flagship of the British fleet of the North Sea, which is now holding the German warships within the Baltic, is the greatest battleship Great Britain owns. She can burn ammunition at the rate of \$50, a minute, and she is now prowling about the North Sea at the head of the greatest fleet ever assembled in the history of the world.

Her admiral is Sir George Callaghan, commander of the home fleet, but within the past few days Admiral Jellicoe has been made supreme commander of the British vessels of

war, and he is now in charge of the operations of the fleet. Then Iron Duke is far more powerful than any single vessel in the British navy, perhaps the most powerful man-of-war in the world.

The Iron Duke, the first of the five armored ships of the 1911-12 program to be completed, was laid down at Portsmouth in January, 1912, and finished in January of this year. She was commissioned last March by Capt. R. N. Lawson. She is the first British dreadnaught to carry 16-inch guns behind armor for

the repelling of torpedo craft. These weapons throw a 100-pound projectile, and are the largest man-handled guns in the navy. Precautions have been taken to protect the vessel against overhead attack from dirigibles and aeroplanes, and she has, for example, two 12-pounder guns on high angle mountings. Her main armament is ten 13.5 inch guns of the latest kind. She is 620 feet long, nearly 100 feet longer than the original Dreadnaught that gave its name to the class.

demonstrate what might be raised by increase on liquors and tobacco and by adding to the income tax.

Representative Underwood and Senator Simmons, chairman of the senate finance committee, are making a thorough study of the situation.

The normal revenue on imports from the countries now affected—Germany, Great Britain, Australia, Hungary, Russia, France and Belgium—approximates \$116,000,000 a year.

How Deficit May Be Met.

Among the schemes being informally considered is one to change the internal revenue tax on cigars and tobacco, making it an ad valorem tax instead of a flat rate tax on amounts.

In this way it is estimated that about \$40,000,000 could be raised. From an increased beer tax it is estimated that \$30,000,000 could be brought in. No change in the income tax could be effective until after the first of next July.

Senator Shields of Tennessee issued a statement today urging an increase in the income tax to provide any additional revenue needed.

Advertise in the Telegraph.

TURN WATER INTO NEW POWER PLANT

I. N. U. HYDRO-ELECTRIC PLANT WILL BE OPEN FOR INSPECTION SUNDAY.

Sterling, Aug. 15.—Water will be turned into the great turbine wheels of the Rock River Light & Power Company at the United States government day Monday. The installation of the five great generators will be completed Saturday night and on Monday electricity will be produced.

Open to Inspection.

On Sunday afternoon between the hours of 2:30 and 5 o'clock, the upper power works will be opened to the public. Those who desire to see the great water wheels in place before the great gates are opened, may view the wheels during the hours specified.

The Evening Telegraph has a well equipped job plant. We do all kinds of job printing. When you need letter heads and envelopes of superior quality, give us an order.

AUGUST 15 1914

THEN - - and - - NOW

Twenty-two years ago today was discovered the fatal germ of tuberculosis which had caused more deaths since the beginning of the human family than any other disease. Its discoverer was Robert Koch, of Germany, who spent two years in patient laboratory research before he finally located the little destroyer, too small to be seen by the naked eye, by the researcher's method of staining the suspected germ with chemicals. The discovery changed the whole world's attitude toward tuberculosis. Since the days of the ancient Assyrians the destroying germ has ravaged humanity. Moses witnessed its fearful devastations among the Egyptians, and in all the successive generations at least every sixth human being was at some time affected by its presence in the blood. Less than half a century ago the disease was regarded as "fatal and hopeless." Oliver Wendell Holmes, who was a physician as well as an author, described the average medical practitioner's acceptance of its fatality in his tale of the "Professor at the Breakfast Table." Some people regarded it as a Divine affliction upon the human race, and an indication of mankind's degeneration. Thirty years ago Europe was reporting 1,000,000 deaths every year from tuberculosis, while the United States was reporting at the rate of 450 per day.

AMBOY MEN TO GO ON BOOSTER TRIP

ORDER MILLION BOXES FROM DIXON CONCERN

EXPECT TO HAVE FORTY CARS IN CARAVAN-BOOSTING FOR FAIR AND AMBOY.

Amboy is making preparations for one of the biggest "Booster Days" in its history, and on August 20th, at 6:30 in the morning, a caravan of forty automobiles loaded to the guards with Amboy boosters and advertising matter to be distributed for the Lee County Fair, which occurs Sept. 15, 16, 17 and 18, and for Amboy.

The trip is to be made for the benefit of the fair and also to advance the interests of Amboy. There will be many men in the procession and they will visit the cities and towns of Shaw Station, West Brooklyn, Compton, Pawpaw, Lee, Scarboro, Steward, Rochelle, Flagg, Ashton, Franklin Grove, Nachusa, Dixon, Sterling, Rock Falls, Harmon and return to Amboy. The Amboy Cornet band will lead the cars and give concerts at each stopping place.

PYROGRAPHY ART CO. FAVERED WITH GREAT BUSINESS AT CONVENTION.

The Pyrography Art Company, located in the west part of this city, in one of the college buildings, is doing a wonderful business. The members of the firm, Milton Missman, Henry Leydig and James Swan have just returned from the 5 & 10-cent Merchants and Manufacturers convention which is held annually in St. Louis. There they put their work on exhibition and before the convention closed had an order for one million boxes to be delivered before the holidays, some immediately and others later. Their work which consists mostly of burnt wood boxes of many shapes and sizes, is very popular, as the above order will corroborate.

Look at the little yellow tag on your paper. It will tell you the exact date to which you are paid.

NEXT WEEK

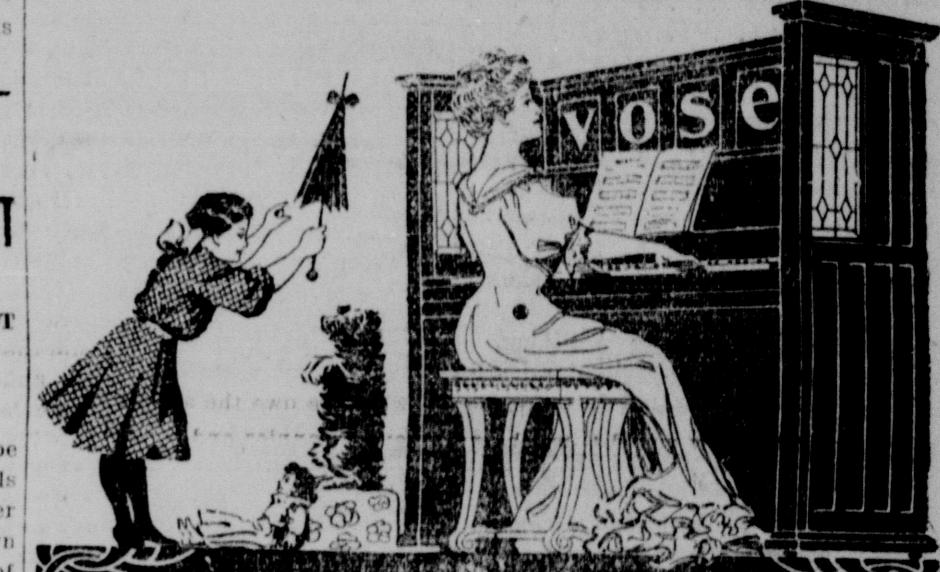
OUR FIFTEENTH SEMI-ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY SALE

In the face of sharp advances in the wholesale prices of mostly every article we sell, we are going to give you a Week of

Wonderful Bargains

Watch our window and bargain tables which will be changed daily.

Kramer's 5c & 10c Store



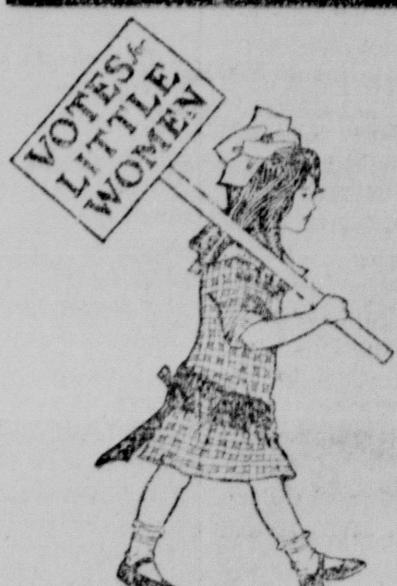
THE VOSE PIANO

with its refined musical Tone, Responsive Action, Durable Construction and Beautiful Design, is a piano in which Quality is the dominant feature and one that is highly artistic from every standpoint.

Call and examine the VOSE at our ware-rooms; learn how easy it is to purchase one.

Theo. J. Miller & Sons

Cor. Galena Ave. and 2nd St.



She's on her way
WATCH

THIS SPACE

WEST BROOKLYN

West Brooklyn Won Twice.

Defeated Ohio by the score of 5 to 1 and Shabbona by the score of 5 to 2.

It appears that the local baseball team is cutting a fast pace for other nines to follow for they are not satisfied with winning one game a week any longer but insist upon gathering in two nowadays. Both the last two games were very good ones and very interesting for the spectators. We herewith publish the box score of the last games:

West Brooklyn	r	h	p	a	e
McCrea 2b	1	3	3	1	
Biggart 1b	1	0	7	0	
R. Malach 3b	1	2	0	4	
J. Malach c	1	3	11	1	0
White lf	1	3	0	0	
Derr cf	0	2	1	0	
Harris ss	0	0	2	1	
Henry rf	0	1	2	0	
Long p	0	0	1	1	
	5	10	27	11	3

Shabbona	r	h	p	a	e
W. Cannon 3b	0	1	3	2	0
Schultz lf	0	2	1	0	0
C. Cannon 1b	0	1	11	0	
Nickelson 2b	1	1	2	4	1
Vanness, p	0	0	1	2	0
George cf	0	2	2	1	0
Bryerhof c	0	0	0	5	0
Hinkston rf	1	1	0	0	0
R. Cannon ss	0	2	0	1	2
	2	10	26	11	4

West Brooklyn	r	h	p	a	e
McCrea 2b	1	0	4	1	0
Biggart 1b	0	2	7	0	0
R. Malach 3b	1	0	1	2	2
J. Malach c	1	0	9	3	0
White lf	0	2	3	0	0
Derr cf	0	1	2	0	0
Harris ss	0	0	0	2	1
Henry rf	0	0	2	0	7
Long p	0	1	0	0	0
	3	6	27	8	3

Ohio	r	h	p	a	e
W. Andern ss	0	2	4	2	2
Faley 2b	0	1	3	0	1
C. Buckley lf	0	1	0	0	1
Andersn c	0	1	7	0	5
Paden lf	0	0	3	1	1
McGann cf	0	0	0	0	0
W. Buckley 1b	1	1	1	1	7
E. Buckley 3b	0	0	2	0	0
H. Hucky c	0	1	2	1	0
	1	7	23	8	5

*Malach called out for not running to first base.

New Hardware Store Building. On Thursday F. D. Gehant, our enterprising hardware and farm implement merchant, broke ground for a new building he will be better able building.

The new store will have a frontage of 32 feet and will be 80 feet long; it will be constructed of concrete cement blocks.

When the building is completed F. D. will have one of the finest up to date mercantile buildings in northern Illinois.

Since he has entered into business in West Brooklyn, less than nine months ago, he has handled in excess of what would make a train load of farm machinery, twine, general hardware, which he has disposed of to his constantly increasing trade. Right goods at Right Prices is his motto, and his guarantee is as reliable as a gold bond. When installed in his new building he will be better able than ever before to accommodate his customers.

F. D. Gehant is West Brooklyn's most enterprising merchant.

WALTON

Walton, Aug. 15—James Doyle and family returned to their home in Chicago Tuesday after a visit with relatives.

Edward Roe buck and sister Marian of Wisconsin are here for an extended visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. John Morrissey and daughter Gladys were shopping in Amboy Wednesday.

Miss Julia McCaffrey of Dixon is visiting with her parents for a few days.

Miss Ada Jones returned to her home at Amboy after a few days' visit with her uncle, Ed Jones, and family.

Miss Victoria Hawkins of Chicago visited at the home of P. H. McCaffrey this week.

Frank Dishong and daughter Pearl George Meurer and family motored to Coletta in the Meurer auto Saturday and visited the Will Baker family over Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Pontius returned to Dixon on Tuesday evening after a week's visit in the country.

F. J. Whitmore motored to Dixon Tuesday.

Miss Lauretta Harvey visited in Harmon Sunday.

Mrs. Mary O'Rourke returned to Dixon after a week's visit with relatives.

A picnic will be given in the Chas Welty Grove next Saturday, August

15th, by St. Mary's church, to which everyone is cordially invited. Amusements of all kinds will be the feature of the day.

Miss Helen Grohens of Amboy visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grohens, on last Tuesday evening.

Miss Lizzie Lannen visited in Dixon on a few days this week.

Mrs. Hegerty of Chicago is visiting with Mrs. McGuirk.

Miss Margaret O'Hare of Boone, Iowa, is here for an extended visit with relatives.

Joseph Jenkins of Danville is here on business.

Rev. Charles Conley spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Aurora on business.

S. L. Curtiss of the southern part of the state, is here looking after his farm interests.

Thomas Burke, who has been seriously ill the past two months with stomach trouble, is no better at present. He is still under the care of a trained nurse.

Erick Brolin and sister entertained company from Chicago this week.

Thomas Feely of Chatsworth is here for a visit with his brother, Bernard Feely.

MUCH INTEREST IN HERD OF BUFFALOS

THEY AND LONG-HORNED TEXAS STEERS ARE NOW NEARLY EXTINCT.

The superb herd of buffaloes and long-horned Texas steers which the 101 Ranch Wild West is bringing to this city on Wednesday, August 25, are picturesque objects of historical interest. Once populating the prairies in droves of thousands, both species of animals are now nearly extinct.

The steers are honored possessions of the 101 Ranch at Bliss, Okla., retained as sentimental reminders of the days before the vast, tossing army of cattle drifted across the Rio Grande from Mexico and then rapidly northward. Across the Canadian, the Cimarron, and the Red River, over the plains of Texas, the diversified lands of the Oklahoma Indian nations and the rolling prairies of Kansas, the slowly advancing herds took passage.

Then the more northern plains also began to raise cattle, but of a different breed, and prejudice grew against the long-horns. There came a scourge of fever among the Texas cattle, and settlers of Oklahoma and Kansas rose in revolt against the contagion being spread to their own herds. With rifles they barred the trail and grimly turned back the thousands of cattle pressing north.

The northern range was yearly extended, the great herds gradually forcing back to inferior cattle of Texas.

The long trail was swung westward into Colorado, Wyoming and into distant Montana. On the way the long-horns became merged into the northern droves, losing their own identity. Their progeny floated southward to market minus the long-horns and became the typical cattle of modern trade.

The buffaloes which accompany the long-horns with the 101 Ranch Wild West are pure-blooded survivors of the millions which once roamed the prairie and furnished almost everything the Indian needed—his food, his bed, his clothes, his weapons of war and chase, his saddles and most of the articles for domestic use. It is estimated that not more than five hundred buffaloes remain. Most of these are preserved in government and municipal parks. The 101 Ranch has the largest and best known private herd in the southwest.

The passing of this one distinctive American animal is a pathetic chapter of the story of the advance of the white man westward. The multitude of buffaloes, even within the memory of the owners of the 101 Ranch, was almost beyond modern belief. Railroad trains were held up for hours to permit vast herds to pass. Trails worn by their hoofs and their wallows are even now visible on the 101 Ranch. As early as 1860 it was estimated by competent authority that at least 250,000 were being killed yearly. In the three years, 1872-4, more than 5,000,000 were slaughtered for their hides.

Miller Bros. & Arlington exhibit the 101 Ranch drove both in parade and in arena. Unless the efforts to induce propagation, in which Miller Brothers are co-operating with the government, are successful, a few more years will witness the entire extinction of the buffalo. And with the last of the buffaloes will pass the last of the cowboys and the Indians.

Song books, worth \$1.00 and \$2.50, for 49¢ and 75¢, at the Telegraph office. Only a few left. Come quick.

TWO WOMEN AVOID OPERATIONS

By Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Chicago, Ill.—"I must thank you with all my heart for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I used to go to my doctor for pills and remedies and they did not help me. I had headaches and could not eat, and the doctor claimed I had female trouble and must have an operation. I read in the paper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I have taken it and feel fine. A lady said one day, 'Oh, I feel so tired all the time and have headache,' I said, 'Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,' and she did and feels fine now."—Mrs. M. R. KARSCHICK, 1438 N. Paulina Street, Chicago, Illinois.

The Other Case.

Dayton, Ohio.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound relieved me of pains in my side that I had for years and which doctors' medicines failed to relieve. It has certainly saved me from an operation. I will be glad to assist you by a personal letter to any woman in the same condition."—Mrs. J. W. SHERER, 126 Cass St., Dayton, Ohio.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

HEALO!—Is a root powder of unusual merit—be convinced by trying a box.

No. 138, Series of 1914. FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, caused to be filed in the County Court on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1914, a certificate showing the final cost of constructing cement concrete pavement in the alley in Block 29 in the Original Town, now City of Dixon, constructed in said City of Dixon under and in pursuance of the City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance Number 138, Series of 1912, and the amount estimated by said Board to be required to meet the accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate the collection of the assessment for said work.

Said certificate also shows that said work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been duly accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown on said certificate are as follows: 640.68 square yards of cement concrete pavement at ninety-six (96) cents per square yard \$615.05 Total cost of work \$615.05 Lawful expense 52.73

Total cost of improvement \$667.78 Add for lapsing interest on bonds 60.60

Total \$728.38

Public notice is further given that the court has set said certificate and any objections that may be filed therein for hearing at 9 o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 31st day of August, A. D. 1914, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit.

Hearings will be held in the County Court room in the Court House in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Any person interested may file objections before the time set for hearing and appear and show cause why said petition shall not be taken as true.

Dated August 11th, A. D. 1914.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENT OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS.

BY MARK C. KELLER,

1875 Its Attorney.

Sealed proposals addressed to the

Board of Local Improvements and

Council of the City of Dixon, Illinois,

and endorsed proposals for the fur-

nishing of the labor and material for

and the construction of cement con-

crete curbing and vitrified brick or

block pavement, with asphalt filler

on North Crawford Avenue in the

City of Dixon, Illinois, as provided

for in Local Improvement Ordinance

No. 166, Series of 1914, of said City

of Dixon will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, at the City Clerk's Office in said City of Dixon, until eleven o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 24th day of August, A. D. 1914, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon (who is president of the Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day. Said bids shall be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

**MAN WANTS BUT LITTLE HERE
THAT HE CANNOT GET BY ADVERTISING**

If You Want to Buy a Farm, or Rent or Buy a House, or Inquire Your Property or Automobile, See—

Downing & Fruin
Ground Floor, Corner First and Galena Ave. Phone 293
REAL ESTATE, LOANS AND INSURANCE Residence Phones: Downing, 12593; Fruin, 13625

WANTED

WANTED Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for your orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118 River St., Dixon.

WANTED—Five hundred men, women and children to bring their shoe sto us for repairing. Our work is the best that labor and material can produce. Full line of foot-savers, polish for white and black shoes, shoe strings and in soles. H. Beckingham, 108 Hennepin Ave. 01 ft.

WANTED. Woodwork or all kinds, furniture repairing, remodeling and building new furniture, interior woodwork, stair building, pattern making, lawn mower and tool sharpening and saw filing, at 213 E. First St. O. Seligstad & Son, 2 Doors East of Hotel Bishop. Phone 737. 41ft

Fatronine Home Industry. Have your clothes made by people who makes them. Our clothes are made under our own roofs. We invite all ladies and gentlemen to call and see our tailor shop and how our work is made by skilled tailors. We are making to advertise our work. Men's pants \$4.00 and ladies' skirts \$5.00. D. Kahn & Co., 109 W. First St., Dixon, Ill. 91ft

WOMEN. Set guaranteed hose to friends and neighbors; 70 per cent profit. Make \$10 daily. Experience unnecessary. International Mills, Box 4029, West Philadelphia, Pa. 123 2m*

WANTED. Every person in Dixon suffering from aching, tired feet, to try a box of Healo. Nothing more soothing and restful. Be convinced. Buy a box from your druggist. tf

WANTED. Having purchased the Motorcycle Quick Delivery van from C. W. Hamilton, I am now prepared to deliver parcels and goods up to 350 pounds to all parts of the city, at short notice. F. L. Brown, Phone 221. 148724

FOR SALE. A beautiful building lot on Third St. Enquire of Miss Mary Wynn, 420 Third St. Home Phone 929. 56tf

WANTED—A housekeeper by an Iowa farmer; one who is thoroughly competent; must be good to children; will pay good price to the right party. For further particulars enquire at this office. 175t2

WANTED. Men to learn barber trade. Can make your entire tuition back while learning if you are a hustler. Position guaranteed. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Iowa. jul27oct27

WANTED—Girl for general house-work. Apply to Mrs. Max Rosenthal, 407 Peoria Ave. 187tf

WILL PAY reliable man or woman \$12.50 to distribute 100 FREE pgs. Perfumed Borax Soap Powder among friends. No money required. Ward Company, 216 Institute Pl., Chicago. 893*

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade in few weeks; mailed free. Write Moler College, Chicago, Ill. 894*

WANTED. To buy a gas plate. Telephone 12790. 90 3

WANTED. I have purchased an auto delivery and am prepared to deliver goods up to 1000 pounds promptly and satisfactorily. Winfield Pierce. Headquarters at Chiverton & Quick's. Phone 203. Residence phone 13257. 90 24*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE or Rent. A 6 room residence. P. O. Box 105, Cimpton, Ill. 88tf

FOR SALE, a Davenport. Enquire of Mrs. Frank Rosbrook, 515 E. 2nd St. Phone 326. 87tf

FOR SALE. A varied assortment of shafting and pulleys, wooden and iron. Also an elevator. Enquire at this office. 90 12

FOR SALE—A very desirable building lot on Third street. For further particulars see Miss Mary Wynn. 90 3*

FOR SALE. 2 horses, 1 brown gelding 5 years old, weight 1000 lbs.; 1 bay mare 11 years old, weight 1200 lbs. Enquire of F. C. Sproul, North Side Grocery. 169 24

FOR SALE—Refrigerator, meat blocks, marble top counter and all tools that appertain to a first class meat market. Everything in the finest condition. Reasonable rates. Enquire of Attorney William L. Leech, Amboy, Ill. 60-16

North Dakota farm for Dixon business or good residence property. 320 acres level, black soil. Red River Valley, two miles from good town. F. Overstreet, Tuscola, Ill. 40 24

FOR SALE—A 22-foot launch, sound and solid and in fine condition; four horsepower engine. Must sell at once and will take the low price of \$50, cash down. First come, first served. Enquire "S," this office. 87412

FOR RENT—Several fine office rooms; hardwood finish, running water, very light. Call No. 5. tf

FOR RENT—Fine office rooms in the Evening Telegraph building. Call No. 5. 183tf

FOR SALE. Lawn swings, 4 passenger, \$5; patent hayrack, cheaper than you can make one; pumps cheaper than Sears-Roebuck or Montgomery Ward. Come and see. I have their catalogue. Wm. Rink. Phone 140. 75 12.

FOR SALE. A good second hand bath tub. For particulars call Phone 303. tf

FOR SALE. Awings and Tents. All awnings and tents sold in Dixon are put up. Tent of any kind or size. Hay covers, wagon covers. Best tire, lightning and tornado insurance. Telephone 14997. Robert Anderson, 512 W. Third St. 77tf

FOR SALE—An elevator, cheap. Call 992, or No. 5. 87tf

FOR SALE. Northwest Missouri corn, clover and blue-grass farms. Best all-round farming country in the world. State soil map free. Bazel J. Meek Land Co., Chillicothe, Mo. 97tf

FOR SALE. For the next 30 days I will offer the following property for sale: One modern 6 room cottage and three vacant lots in West Dixon, near shoe factory; 6 beautiful lots on North Crawford Ave., where the extended street car line passes, and 6 lots on East River St. Theo. Young, 316 Third St. 8tf

FOR SALE. A lot in Amboy. Enquire of Mrs. Eustace Shaw, Dixon, Ill. tf

FOR SALE. A high class Chase & Baker player piano at a bargain to introduce them in this vicinity. W. F. Strong, Agent. College of Music. 133 24

FOR SALE—A very desirable building lot in the east end. Enquire of Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook, 515 E. Second St. Tel. 326. tf

FOR SALE—Team of work horses and heavy set of harness. Terms reasonable. Phone 14524. 18913*

Hogs open weak at yesterday's average. Left over—7734.

Light—910 @ 955.

Mixed—880 @ 955.

Heavy—855 @ 945.

Rough—855 @ 875.

Cattle and sheep steady.

Receipts today—

Hogs—7000.

Cattle—200.

Sheep—3000.

Hogs close 10 to 20c lower.

Estimated Monday—27,000.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; also sleeping rooms; modern. 118 S. Crawford Ave. 893*

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Enquire at 216 Hennepin Ave. 190t3

RINGLING CIRCUS IS ANNOUNCED

WORLD'S GREATEST SHOWS AND SPECTACLES, "SOLOMON AND THE QUEEN OF SHEBA" NOW ON WAY.

Official information confirms the announcement that on Sept. 5 Ringling Brothers' circus will give two performances in Sterling.

Many new features have been added this year, the most notable of which is the spectacle "Solomon and the Queen of Sheba." This colossal production is presented with a cast of 1250 people, a ballet of 300 dancing girls, 735 horses, 32 camels and a trainload of scenery, costumes and properties on the biggest stage in the world.

Following the spectacle, a circus program of unusual brilliancy will be presented, including an array of foreign and American acts new to the circus world. The menagerie contains 1003 wild animals, 41 elephants five giraffes and a "baby zoo." The circus is transported on 89 double length cars. Special arrangements have been made by the railroads to accommodate the crowds that will visit the circus from this city and the surrounding country. 91 2

TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY. Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound. Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a.m. 123 Southern Exp. 11:16 a.m. 31 Clinton Exp.* 5:10 p.m. Amboy Freight* 8:50 a.m.

North Bound. 132 Waterloo Exp.* 9:59 a.m. 24 Local Mail: 5:35 p.m. 20 Local Exp.* 8:16 p.m. Freeport Freight* 12:30 p.m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY. Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified.

East Bound to Chicago. No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago 6 3:33 a.m. 6:45 a.m. 24 6:23 a.m. 9:05 p.m. 28 7:22 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 18 8:05 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 0 10:58 a.m. dly ex Sun 2:40 p.m. 14 1:16 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 4 4:21 p.m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p.m. 100 4:15 p.m. Sun only 7:50 p.m. 12 6:10 p.m. 8:45 p.m.

West Bound. No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria 801 8:35 Peoria Pas. 11:52 a.m.

Daily Thought. There is no life so humble that it be true and genuinely human and obedient to God, it may not hope to shed some of his light.—Phillips Brooks.

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WATERLOO FIELD FOR BIG FIGHT

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Vienna, Aug. 15.—The last of the Austrian warships which have been operating along the Montenegro coast has been withdrawn because of Austrian naval preparations to resist an impending attack from the allied British and French Mediterranean fleets.

London, Aug. 15.—Great Britain, France and Russia have taken steps to ascertain Turkey's position and have demanded that the crews of the German cruisers Goeben and Breslau, said to have been purchased by Turkey, be sent back to Germany. The ships are said to have preyed on commerce outside the Dardanelles before they retired.

London, Aug. 15.—A report from Paris says that an entire division of 12,000 Germans surrendered to the French army during the five days' engagement in the Vosges mountains where French victories are said to be complete.

Brussels, Aug. 15.—The Belgian ministry of war has issued the following announcement:

"In view of the present dispositions of the French and Belgian armies it has been decided, in the interest of the country, not to make any further announcement of the movements of the armies.

"The government relies on the patriotism to maintain absolute silence in military operations."

French Hold Entire Region.

London, Aug. 15.—French troops are reported to be holding the entire valley of the Bruche, in Alsace and to be occupying the region of Saale Pass. German troops are at Saale and are holding out there, although there are said to have been many desertions.

The French assert that a number of German patrols have taken refuge in the neutral territory of Switzerland in order to escape French detachments. A sharp engagement is reported at Chambray in Lorraine, where French troops surprised two companies of the 18th Bavarian infantry and drove them off in disorder.

French Win More Victories.

Paris, Aug. 15.—French outposts claim a victory over the German outposts at Chambray, in the German province of Lorraine, while two French battalions near La Garde, in the same province, were driven back across the border. The British war office announces that the French, after successful resistance for five days in the Vosges mountains, have occupied the region of the Saale pass, commanding the valley of the Bruche, which leads to Strassburg, capital of the German province of Alsace.

Shift Attacks on Liege Forts.

Brussels, Belgium (via London), Aug. 15.—The Germans suspended the bombardment of the Liege forts on the right bank of the river and concentrated all their efforts on those to the west of the town. The forts attacked were Pontisse, Liers, Lanquin, Loncin, Hollogne and Flémalle, an especially severe attack being made on Pontisse.

French in Belgium.

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into the hands of the invaders.

Today the Germans suspended the bombardment of the Liege forts on the right bank of the river and concentrated all their efforts in a heavy fire on the west side of the town. The forts under this fire were Pontisse, Liers, Lantin, Hollonge and Flenualle. An especially severe attack on Pontisse is in progress.

British Fleet Removes Mines.

London, Aug. 15.—Anthony Nugent, writing in the London Globe, says:

I have been with the "silent service," the navy. My location was a naval port which I shall not name, and there I had experiences which are unforgettable. The swift coming and going of ships and the readiness in men and material displayed were great things to see. It was no surprise to me to read the admiral's announcement yesterday that our trade routes are open but for the mines in the North Sea. Trawlers are busy clearing these away, and succeeding well. The German fleet is bottled up in its ports.

KILL CONVOYS; STEAL \$10,500

Bandits Commit Bold Robbery
in West Virginia.

THREE IN AUTO ARE AMBUSHED

Lonely Road in Blue Ridge Mountains
Scene of Bold Crime—Money Stolen
Was Pay Roll for Mine—Victims
Were in Fast Car—Believe Motor
Broke Down.

Bluefield, W. Va., Aug. 15.—Ambushed where a winding, lonely stretch of track breaks the impenetrable fastness of the Blue Ridge mountains, and in the solemn silence of great timber tracts, three men, a paymaster, a deputy sheriff and a physician were held up by bandits, shot to death and then robbed of a \$10,500 coal mine monthly payroll. The holdup took place near Glen Alum, 75 miles west of here.

Three Dead.

The dead: F. E. Johnson, paymaster Glen Alum Fuel company. Joseph Shaler, deputy sheriff. Dr. W. G. Amick, company physician.

The highwaymen made a clean get away. Probably an hour after the robbery traveling men, footings it toward the Glen Alum railway station, found the three dead bodies, and no trace of the bandits.

As is the custom, owing to the desolation of the company, the Glen Alum Fuel company, received \$10,500 in small denomination bills from the national bank of Cincinnati by train, and immediately after Paymaster Johnson, Deputy Shaler and Dr. Amick boarded a railroad motor and started for the company's mines, three and one-half miles up the hollow.

The holdup occurred at a point half way between. The motor by which the same trip was made by the same men many times before, can in a pinch do fifty miles per hour and there is wide speculation on how the robbery occurred. Either something went wrong with the motor or the track ahead was blocked.

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TURKEY PURCHASES

FUGITIVE CRUISERS

Envoy to France Says Windfall
for His Country.

Paris, Aug. 15.—Rifaat Pasha, the Turkish ambassador, referring to the German cruisers Goeben and Breslau, which are reported to have been purchased by Turkey, states:

"We simply seized the opportunity to obtain two cruisers to assure the equilibrium of our naval forces with those of Greece. England exercised the right to requisition two cruisers just being finished for us in the English yards. Greece has just bought two from the United States."

The arrival of the German cruisers in the Dardanelles was a windfall. You may be sure we will keep them as we have paid for them with the fund raised by public subscription to pay for the ships building in England."

The Goeben and the Breslau are at Nagara, Kelesi, the quarantine station in the Dardanelles. It is reported that they searched the British, French and Greek ships in the strait and forcibly removed the wireless apparatus from the steamer Sagalien, threatening to sink her if she made resistance.

A report received here says Turkey has just paid \$20,000 for the two cruisers.

\$500 Dollars' Worth of Talk.

Bradford, Ill., Aug. 15.—Simeon P. Ash, a merchant of Bradford, must pay \$500 to Orin Sherman, whom he wrongfully accused of theft of \$200. The money was later found and Ash apologized. Sherman, however, filed suit for \$5,000. The lower court allowed him \$500 and this judgment has now been affirmed by the Appellate court.



ANNOUNCEMENT.

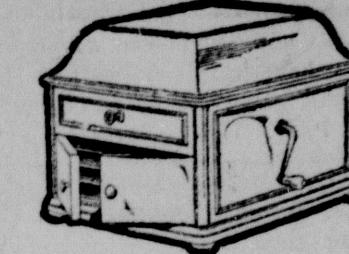
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